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We have received a copy of a publication entitled "The Japan Magazine," which is a monthly magazine of "things Japanese." It contains a number of well written and authoritative articles on interesting subjects by well-known Japanese writers. Among We beg to advise our Customers that the articles of special interest may be men-Writing," This article is contributed by Baron Sakatani, the Mayor of Tokyo, of whom a splendid reproduction of a photograph is given in the number. Other articles are "The Theatre as a New Force in Japan," " More Japanese Art," "Japanese Proverbs " and several short poems. It is a very interesting and instructive publica-

ON THE TRACK OF THE ABOR.

By Powell Millington. London, G. Bell ly from a very appreciative standpoint: and Sons. This book, of 203 pages, is a description description of the art of an American of a punitive expedition undertaken by the landscape painter. W. Elmer Schofield. writer does no attempt to add much to the scientific knowledge of the world; on the lin his pigments' and the actualities of life. other hand he does give us a graphic picture of a military expedition amongst these peoples who live on the borders of Assam, and indirectly we get pleasant glimpses of the ways and manners of these remote which seem to have been interesting and even exciting, whilst others could hardly afford amusement even to Mark Tapley

himself. There is, however, a dry humour, I treated of by Alfredo Melaur; and the often very appreciable, and this makes number contains the usual regular features, Studio Talk, Art School notes, and matter the rending very pleasant. It was no and illustrations descriptive of recent 27 small part of the duty of this party domestic architecture. to force its way through tropical forests. Amongst the pionesrs was an officer who had studied forestry under . Mr. T. Fisher Unwin has just published German guidance. One day theroughly in his Colonial Series "The Knave of disgusted with his task, he exclaimed whose first novel, "The Way of "Such rot it all was; there I was year in an Engle" was favourably received a and year out learning to keep trees alive, short time ago by the reading public. In her pesent story Miss Dell THE OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE and here I am stationed in a part of the fully confirms the favourable impression Company, Lad., world where the d-things won't die." made by her first essay in the realm of When the expedition had renched its destination, and taught the Abors that they dare not kill Britishers with impunity, the head men came in to sue for peace?" It was even mid that they would have come in sooner, had they not required an interval in which to recover from the peryous brenkdown resulting from the runs of the maxime that morning." The G. O. apparently had a narrow escape from a poisoned arrow, and there was some anxiety at first at the other oud of the elegraphic commications, as to the result. Afterwards, the following teleg am was serit on. "Hearty congestule-

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medt had arrived, that he had asked for onions and not orchids. I told him in reply that when they left me they were still onious, and since the Government botanis had recently left for the front, their strange behaviour seemed eminently case for the latter to deal with. still more pressing telegram then reached me telling me that the Government bontanist had not yet arrived, but that the 'orchide' had now developed into 'waterlilies.' We had marked some other stories and specimens of a playful humour, but we have said enough to indicate the quality of the volume. If the work is not learned in the accepted sense of the term, it will afford pleasant reading for a couple of evenings after dinner, and at the same time convey a good deal of first hand informa tion to those who may seek it, in addition

MONDAY, the 24th instant:to amusement. The price does not appear Capello ... ... ... to be stated. It must be exceedingly difficult for the White Hawthorn ... directors of a well-known periodical of repute to maintain uninterruptedly the high standard which the public have leon educated to expect. It is attempted by many but achieved by few. The Studio is one of the publications which comes in the latter category. Students of no matter what branch of the fine arts of which this popular monthly treats find it uniformly inter sting. The articles are authoratively Hongkong, February 18, 1913. written, and reflect the best contemporary opinion, while the illustrations are unexcelled. The January number is brimful NOTIOE. of good things. The chief biographical articles in his number are a description and appreciation of the work Philip Counard from the pen of Marion Hongkong, February 4, 1913.

Hepworth Dixon, who has handled her subject in a very ab'e manner, and evident. and equally interesting and well-written British Government in order to punish some penned by C. Lewis Hind, The illustra-Abor villagers, who had been guilty of the tions which accompany the first mentioned nurder of some British subjects. The article serve to emphasiae the writer's expressed opinion of Mr. Connard's delight They are beautiful specimens of the colour printer's craft, and the tones are rendered with great fidelity. Looking at the illustrations of Mr. Schofield's pictures it is easy to accept Mr. Lewis's statement tribes. Much of the volume is a plain style is open and vigorous. The Arts and statement of simple experiences, some of Crafts Society's exhibition at the Grosvenor Gallery is described by Mr. W. T. Whitley, twenty-nine "illustrations of notable exhibits accompaning the letterpress. The Layard Collection in Venice is ably

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In the Official Referee's Court on January 16, Mrs. Margaret Clement Scott, widow of Mr. Clement Scott, dramatic critic, sued Mr. Henry Burton, managing director of Mesers. Partington's Advertising Co., Ltd., to recover £2,500, alleged to be due upon two loans one of £1,500 in December 1906 and another of £1,000 in May 1908.

Indebtedness was denied by the defendant, who pleaded that he had paid the money before the action was brought. He counterclaimed for 5,000 preference shares in the Partington Advertising Co., Ltd., and 5,000 ordinary shares in the Partington Kent Billposting Co. He further alleged that Mrs. Scott was responsible to him with regard to the upkeep brougham, and in respect of joint thestrical sketches, including the following:-The Silver Box, The Diamond Express, The Red Scar, After the Storm, At the Mouth of the Pit, and the English rights

of a French play.... Counsel: For the plaintiff, Mr. Ritter and Mr. Kenneth Muir Mackenzie; for THE Undersigned has the defendant, Mr. McCall, K.C., and Mr. Willoughby Williams.

Mr. Ritter said Mrs. Scott was introduced to Mr. Burton by a Mr. Austin Fyers, a member of the staff of the journal "Free Lance," and it was in connection with that publication that she first knew Mr. Burton. Great friendship sprang up between them, and eventually they became very fond of each other. The lady certainly proved of great service to Mr. Burton. On June 23, 1905,

Mr. Burton wrote to Mrs. Scott: My dear, dear Love, What a splendid letter I have had this morning. Just had an unpleasant meeting with knows. Came here to rest and for cup of tea, but no sweet vife have I to welcome me and kiss away all my

worries and troubles. Last night I went into the garden and prayed under the stars that light might come. I wanted to take your dear sweet self into my arms, and gaze into those loving eyes of yours. Take | OT care of yourself and forgive all the pain I have caused you. You 'must well' understand how impossible it is for me to give way. God bless and keep

. HARRY. During September he wrote: "Thanks for your sweet note," and subsequently: Did you get my telegram? I have been thinking so much of the letter you promised me. . . . Now you must promise most solemnly not to make any theatrical arrangements without me, my darling love. . . Our unity demands it. My great deep affection for you must be my excuse. Fail me not.

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MEMORIES. Another letter, undated and marked Sunday," said:

It seems years since I saw you.

My dear, dear Love.-What a contrust this from last week. Perhaps the Café Royal will recall scenes of our happiness. The memories of my sweet companion are ever in my thoughts. It cannot be otherwise, as we are bound to each other body and soul. Never forget how sacred you are to me. In all our difficulties your love is my great guiding star! . . . May our love help us to some day go forth to some haven of happiness hand in hand-until we are parted by death. . . . . "

Dear loving heart, thanks for all your sweet love. I cannot think but that some day all this westiness and loneliness shall pass away and we shall look back upon it as an ugly dream. Kiss me good night, and one I ing embrace .--Your lover.

Mr. Ritter said that Mrs. Scott was of great assistance to Mr. Burton in connection with his business enterprises, and she ent him the money for that purpose. Mrs. Scott, wearing furs and a white hat, gave evidence that she lent Mr.

Burton the money. Cross-examined by Mr. McCall: Her husband died in 1904, and during the following year she went on the stage. May I take it that for about two years you lived with Mr. Burton?-Yes.

I think it began in January 1904?-No. in January 1905. Do you know that Mr. Burton lost in the "Free Lance" about £11,000?—I do not know what he lost or what he had in return. I know what I lost.

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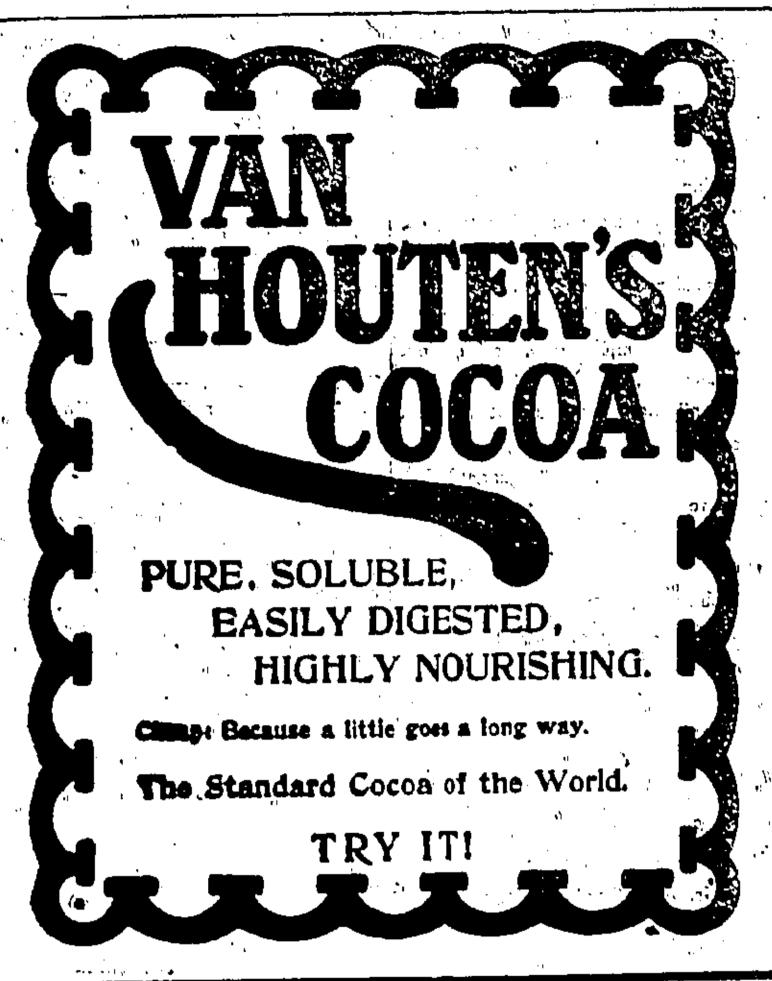
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At Headquarters at 6 p.m. Thursday 20th instant.

MAP READING CLASS.

RANGE FINDING CLASS. At Headquarters at 5 30 p.m. Thursday

27th instant. MUSKETRY.

HTANDARD TEST. Recruits Scouts Company at Kings Park Range, Saturday 1st March at 2.30 p.m. and Sunday 2nd March at 9.30 n.m. All Recruits of other Units who have not

fired the Standard Test must attend on one of the above dates.

Pte. J. F. Gross joined the Corps on the 18th inst. and was posted to Right Section M. G. Co.

RESIGNED.

The following members are permitted to resign on leaving the Colony. Pre. W. A. Wilson 12.12. 13. Pts. A. H. Reis 17. 2. 13. Ptc. A. V. Monk 17, 2, 13. Ptc. R. Bruce 17, 2, 13, Pte. E W. H. Graham 17, 2, 13, LeCpl. F. R. Mann 17, 2, 13, The following members having left the Colony without leave are struck off the the strength of the Corps with effect from this date: Pte. R. J. Brown and Pte. J.

Pte. F. Sutton is granted leave of absence from 1. 3, 13, to 1. 1. 14,

HONGKONG RIFLE LEAGUE. in the H. K. Rifle League Competitions:-Capt. M. S. Northcote, Licut. G. E. notified in Corps Orders.

The following will represent the Corps against the Reserves on Sunday Feb. 23rd at 2.30 p m. on Kings Park Range. Lieut. G. E. Stewart, Sergts, Sorby, Haines, Tollan, Corpls. Chapman, Manuk, Bradbury, Anderson and Pte. Duncan.

#### KWANGTUNG NEWS.

(From Our Oven Correspondent.)

A STRANGE COINCIDENCE.

years ago a man named Cheung Shang, a native of Shun Tak, married a woman named Pu'en. After the marriage ceremonies, and the accustomed three days | this out retail at a large profit. It is true away from her parents, the bride visited that it is dangerous to smoke the drug in her former home. She thereupon refused | Canton itself, as sooner or later spies will to return to her husband, and as there was no binding rule between the two villages which would compel a young bride to return to her husband, as apparently there is or must be in some places, he could not force her, and so was compelled to let her stay in peace. Meanwhile, she drifted from pillar to post, and found herself in Canton. She first of all kired herself as , serving woman to a rich family. Being comely, it was not long ere she seemed to attract a paramour, and in this way she was able to discard her former employment, and lived as the mistress of this experienced changes, till at last she able to decide what she should do for the remainder of her life and them to be unnecessarily irritated by would once more marry. With her property she would be able to get a staid middle class husband. So by means of the middle-woman the marriage was arranged Now the strangest part of the experience comes to light. The man to whom she was engaged apparently did not pass under his real name, as indeed she had not done during all these years. Moreover he was an officer in the army, and seemed comfortably off. So the arrangements were completed, and she went to the home of her new hasband. Thereupon, when they met face to face, it was suddenly discovered that the new husband was the old discarded one of many years, ago, and "as they unfolded the corners of the heart, which is a Chinese way of saying, as they talked over things, the bride was disgusted with herself. Presently she was missing. was too much for her. She had gone into wise. another room, and in remorse had hanged herself. But she was cut down in time.

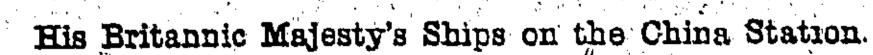
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Having now proved her repentance, it is Te assumed she will live in peace with her m husband till the end.

DIMINUTION OF JAPANESE IMPORTS.

Whether the following refers Japanese imports into China as a whole, or into the Canton province only, seems uncertain; we think into the whole of China; But this matters little. It is pointed out The following Committee is appointed to that five years ago the imports into China C selected Teams to represent the Corps from Japan amounted to twenty-four million dollars per annum, and since then this amount has considerably increased, Sergis. Sorby, Bullock and Indeed a fair proportion of Japanese Secretary, Sergt. Bullock, to exports found their market in Chinawhom names of men wishing to fire should | Since the revolution, however, there has | .037 be sent. Dates of Competitions will be been a check, and last year a considerable 038 diminution. This is ascribed to a certain activity amongst maunufacturing hands in China itself, for the introduction of a certain amount of machinery has tended to increase the output of articles that the Chinese need. So it is stated that as far as Canton goes the decrease of Japanese imports amounts to about two-thirds of what it was.

> It is reported that sundry of the local opium merchants amongst the Chinese are reaping a big harvest at present. It is well known that the officials are trying by every means in their power to prevent the drug from getting into the hands of the people. Hence the increase of taxation. But it seems that sundry of the local native dealers had in their hands a considerable quantity of stock, and now they are selling reveal the fact and the police will follow the footsteps of the spies, and the magistrate on both. So it comes to pass, so we learn, that many of the confirmed opiumsmokers, who sannot gratify their craving in the city, take train, and go into the country, where there are sly dens, which somehow escape the notice of the police, and therein those opium slaves manage to get what they want. But the one thing emphasized is that native dealers are making a rich harvest out of the present

CHACKERS AND FESTIVALS. It seems that the mow generation of lofficials in Canton are like most Europeans, gifted with nerves, and do not like as she had acaumulated sufficient funds useless noices. Anyway, the Nam Hol to support herself, she thought that she | magistrate has issued a stern proclamation indicating that in future, when there are holidays and holydays, he does not intend to allow the people to spend so much money on crackers and on gunpowder. The recent noises at Chinese New Year do not seem to have pleased him, for he wants to know what good it is, and whom the crackers benefit. If this can be satisfactorily answered, then perhaps the decision may be reconsidered. Meanwhile, with the knowledge he has at his disposal, he seems to doubt the utility of all this detonation, and has expressed himself in this wise. Everybody knows that with the Chinese it is one thing to issue a proclamation, and quite another to see that its provisions are carried into effect, for this means trusting to many subordinates and also at times running directly contrary to the wishes of the masses, and the result proved that the revelation | which in China, or elsewhere, is not always

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Death of Miss Marjorie Davenport.

We sincerely regret, says the "Rangoon Times" of January 27, to announce that Miss Marjorio Davenport, a member of the Dallas Comedy Company, died early this morning in the Rangoon General Hospital from the effects of a dangerous but heccusary operation. The funeral took place this siterpoon at four o'clock at the Cantonment Cometery. In consequence of this sad event there

will be no performance at the Jubilee. Hall to pight, but What Every Wornen Rnows will be produced by morrow night as already amounted.

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Comedy Co. at Thestre Royal.

9.15 p m .- Bella Donna' by Dallas

9.15 p.m. - Lady Frederick 'by Dallas

The China Mail.

LONDON'S ." TERRORISTS.

country house. Happily, the house

quence was unoccupied. The matter,

active steps will be taken to deal

ing by the first telegram to hand

been experienced of discovering the

though, of course, no doubt could

possibly exist as to what was its

original source, for since the days of

the Fenians and the activities of a few

has been no body who has identified

themselves with violent methods more

than the Suffragists. Therefore it

crazy females known as the Militant

Suffragettes and their crazier male

abettors and instigators in crime.

Perhaps some difficulty might have

been experienced in tracing the

Suffragettes as a body and more

particularly to the actual perpetrators

of the deed, for it will be observed

from the first telegram that the "bold

bombists" were not so bold as to

neglect the usual precautions of

criminals. They carefully selected the

conditions and the time committed

the atrocity and made away like com-

mons thieves into the night. As already

stated, some difficulty would probably

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(Free List Buspended !) Prices: \$2, \$1, 50 cents. thing clso quite different occurred which makes the source of the bombthrowing perfectly clear. As is well- Hongkong. known, the folly of the Suffragettes idiotic and destructive methods is only equalled by their imbecile conduct in other respects; therefore it will be no great surprise to most people that Mrs. who believes herself to be a martyr, but who is merely a crazy old woman, could not refrain from glorying in the bomb outrage, for which she or the noble body with which she is identified, "accepted full responsibility. Well, if the Police do not arrest this silly old lady at once along with other people prominently associated with her they will fail egregiously in their duty. Doubtless, Mrs. Pankhurs and her associates, will go prison as though they were going to Paradise and talk loudly their "martyr's crown," which, with

ed by Don Quixote, they mistake for prison garb ! What can be done with people Cunzy.-At 2 Saiwan Terrace, on 19th who adopt the methods of the February, to Mr and Mrs E. BANFIELD criminal? No matter how good cause may be, such a method is fatal As has been pointed out to Suffragettes time and time again, 11.30 a.m.-China Provident Loan and their folly has retarded the cause of Woman Suffrage , indefinitely; and when the time does come for its adoptions, it will be found that not in Noon Hongkong and Shanghai Bank the slightest degree will it be hasten-9.15 p.m.- 'The Glad Eye' by Dallas ed or in any way due to the criminal proceedings of the foolish people who have been the authors and perpetrators of so much wanton destruction. 9.15 p.m.— What Every Woman Knows by Dallas Comedy Co. at Theatre Royal. Much more rigorous punishment would appear to be the only remedy -at least the only satisfactory means 9.15 p.m. - Baby Mine' by Dallas Comedy Co. at Theatre Royal. to be haped that not only will the sentences be such as t

lunacy as hopeless as thut ever possess-

NEWS OF THE DAY.

crimes justify but that the treatment

in prison of the delinquents will be of

such a nature as not to make the

prison officials the laughing stock of

the world.

the lowest on record.

Mr. Hazeland to-day fined a Chiness \$10 or one month, and bound him | Sunday at 9 a.m. HONGKONG, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1913 | over, for assaulting another Chinese at the Naval Yard.

> The local Foreign Banks will be closed for the transaction of public business at 11.45 a.m. on M. nday, Tuesday and Wednesday-Race Days.

Mr. M. J. Breen' sub-Postmaster, is Home regarding this performing the duties of Postmaster General, just relinquished by Mr. Co McI. that they have Messer, who has been appointed Captain Superintendent of Police.

The body of a man aged about forty was only being built and in conse- | years was found hanging by a rope round floor of 18 Tan Wo Street, in the Eastern however, is one of a very grave district. It is supposed to be a case of nature, and it is to be hoped that suicide.

Inspector Dymond raided Nos. 1 and with the perpetrators of this latest 2. Ng Fuk Lane last night as opium divans for the sixth and seventh times piece of audacious vandalism. Judg- respectively. He brought the occupants before Mr. Hazeland at the Magistracy to-day and the keepers of the houses some difficulty would probably have were fined \$250 each or one month, and the actual perpetrators of the atrocity, said that these houses were continually following inscription:cun as opium divans.

At the Magistracy this morning before Mr. Hazeland, a Chinese who had been employed by a contractor on the Welland" in the Naval Yard was charged with the theft of a brass oil crazy Anarchists and Nihilists there syringe. He was about to leave by the main gate at the Navel Yard when he was stopped and searched, and the syringe was found tied to his log with a piece of string. He was sentenced to two months' imprisonment and four hours required no great perspicacity to stocks.

We are pleased to hear that Mr. Alco Taylor, the billiard champion, liss quite recovered from the blood poisoning in his foot, and he is now in excellent form. Mr. Taylor will meet Mr. John Rodger to morrow night at 9 p.m. at the Phoenix Club in a billiard match of 800 up. Mr. Rodger will receive four bundred, and after the game, Mr. Taylor will give an exhibition of fancy strokes-The public will be admitted at a charge of \$2. Mr. Toylor will play a similar match at the Peak Hotel on Saturday

COUGH MEDICINE. A FOTHERS everywhere object to giving their children medicines that consin onisias and I'm thin resson Chamber lain's Cough Remedy han become a coneral Severite. This remedy contains absolutely nothing injurious and for the prompt relia of oners, colds, croup and whoming have been experienced had not some - Chemists and Storake very

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL NEWS OF THE DAY.

S.BLS. "Tsingtan" has sailed from

The German Mail of the 22nd January was delivered in London on the 19th February.

Yosterday a standard time clook regulated electrically from the Royal Pankhurst, the redoubtable old lady | Observatory was fixed at the lower Pork tramway station.

> It is estimated that the ropairs to the Dutch steamer Merapi, 2473 tone, which was towed into Singapore after having been a-hore in the Straits, will cost about

The Messageries Maritimes stoamer Salazie, at one time well known on the Far Eastern run, which went ashore in Loky Bay, Madagascar, has been abandoned as a total loss and it is foared that very little of the vesse 's cargo will be mared - wind march and a second

At the Magistracy this afternoon before Mr Melbourne further evidence was given in the care in which a Chinese charge I with being in illegal possession of 75 bunces of cocnine. Mr. P. M. Hodgson, ssistant Crown Solicitor, presecuted, and Mr G. K. Hall Brutton defended.

The new training crusiser Chaoho which has been constructed by the Elswick Works to the order of the Chinese Government, attained a mean speed of 22.12 knots on her full powered trials, being nearly two knots in excess of her contract speed. The vessel sailed for China on February 2.

the "Tientain" Tramways and --- Electric that it increased the penalties in connection Lighting Co. intend making considerable with offences against the opium laws. The alterations and additions to their plant. object of both these points was really to It is anticipated that as a result of those endeavour to carry out the obligations of extensions the cost per unit to the the Colony under the Hague Convention consumers will be reduced and application of electrical motors to industrial view o control to some extent the moveworks considerably extauded.

Mesers 'F. B. Smith and Raymond Robins, two prominent lecturers of the Y.M.C.A. from North America, are shortly of retaliation—and it is therefore passing through the Colony with a Y.M.C. A quartet on their way to Australia. The Hongkong Christian Union has invited the visitors to address a meeting for men only at the City Hall on March 2nd. The quartet has a very high reputation in

The Pacific Mail s.s. "China," which leaves Hongkong on Tuesday, 25th inst. will not call at Shanghai on the voyage homeward, but will go direct from Manila to Nagasaki. The Intermediate steamers The January death rate in Manila was of this Line, s.s. "Persia," "Nile" and China " will leave at 3 p.m. and not at 1 p.m. on sailing days. The s.s. "Manchuria" from Manila is due at this Port on

> " The Court Cards and their Joker." who had a warm and well-deserved re ception in Hongkong at the beginning of the year when they performed at th Theatre Royal for four or five evenings are returning and will perform from March 8 until March 15 both dates inclusive. They are a genuinely talented Company and should meet with a hearty reception.

An office boy who was acting as softstitute for his brother in the M. D. I office in Connaught Read reports to the powers of arrest of Revenue Officers, was police that yesterday about 8 o'clock five Chinese entered the office and asked him the neck tied to a lamp wire on the ground for the keys of the safe. The boy was seized by one of them and they took from his pocket 32 cents. From a drawer they abstracted a Mauser pistol. An Indian ing it was not taken through committee. constable was stationed near the office, but he states that he heard nothing of th

A handsome memorial tablet has been placed on the walls of the Shanghai Institute of Marine Engineers in memory of adjourned, as they were not of an urgent the engineers of the Titanic. The tablet is nature. the men found smoking opium were fined of brass and is surrounded by photographs \$1 each or two days. Inspector Dymond of all the engineer officers and bears the

> - To perpetuate the memory, and to record their appreciation of the engineer officers of the R.M.S. Titanic, who nobly perished with their ship in mid-Atlantic, April 15, 1912, this tablet is erected by the members of this Institute.

The death occurred at sea on the night defendants to the Sailors' Home, and of February 6 of Captain Jamieson of the when asked for the fare, one of them was China Merchants' ateamer Chiyuen, while struck a severe blow over the eye, and on her way from Hongkong to Shanghai, the other was struck on the arm. says the "China Shipping and I ngineering | One of the defendants said that forty Gazette." The captain had been on deck | wents had been paid to cover both fares. when the vessel passed Tongting at about 11 p.m. and had laid down in bla clothing did not have forty cents on him when leaving orders to be called later, but on he was searched. His eye was bleeding going to his room, the quartermester ex- badly. The defendants were drunk, and perienced difficulty in awkening him and when taken into the cells used most called the attention of the officer of the laborate language. At five o'clock this watch who discovered that he had expired in his sleep. The body was brought on to from the cell into another. Shanghai and conveyed to the mortuan for gramination. Captain Jamieson, who treased British seamen and the shipping had been in indifferent health for some time, had been mearly a quarter of contury in the company, having joined th Chiyuen about five years after ahe came out in 1281 and had served, with spells other ships, as second officer, chief office cents. The first defendant was fined and master of the same ship.

Donzastions. Give Chamberlain's Longit Processor, latter Lamburg on Tabendary

NEW ORDINANCES.

A meeting of the Legislative Council ran held the this afternoon in the Council Chamber, H. E. the Governor, Sir Henry May K.C.M.G , a residing. There were also present :-Hon, the Officer Commanding the Troops,

Major General C. A. Anderson. C.B. Fon Mr. A. M. Thomson, Colonial Hon. Mr. J. A. S. Bucknitt, Attorney

Hou, Mr. A. G. M. FLETCHER, Colonial Hon. Mr. W. CHATHAM, C.M.G., Director

of Public Works. Hon., Mr. Mcl. MESSER, Captain Superatendent of Police. Hon. Mr E. R. HALLIFAX, Registrar

Hon. Sir Kai Ho Kai, Kt., M.B., C.M.G. Hon. Mr E. A. HEWETT, C.M.G. Hon. Mr. C. MONTAGUE EDE. Hon. Mr. WET YUE, C.M.G.

Hon. Mr. C. H. Ross. Mr R. H. CROFTON, Clerk of Councils.

PINANCIAL MINUTE. H. E. the Governor recommended Council to make the following \$2,000 to the Forestry and Botanical Department for the laying out of the garden in Royal Square. The minute was referred to the Finance C mmittee.

OPIUM ORDINANCE AMENDED. The Hon. Attorney General in in troducing for second reading a Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend the Magistrates Ordinance 1890, said it dealt principally with matters of detail. There were two main points in the enactment, which was rather lengthy. The first was that it gave greater control over the move-It is understood that the directors of ments of raw op'um, and the second was | 31. Joss Mighty with Mr. Moller up

the and other agreements, and with this in ment, importation and exportation of raw, and to some extent, prepared opium. These were the two points of principle which underlay the Bill. The Hou. Attorney General dealing with each section in detail, said section 2 brought the Ordinance into operation on March 1st, 1914, which was the date on which the present agreement with the Opium Farmar terminated. An other section which the speaker mention ed enlarged the definition of opium divan prohibited the storage of opium in other than licensed warehouses and made it possible for the export of the drug to be

prohibited to certain places by notification.

The Council went into Committee on the Bill and with certain amendments proposed by the Hon. Attorney General at this stage it was afterwards read a third time in Council and passed. MAGINTRATE'S POWERS TO WHIP.

The Hon. Attorney General moved the second reading of the Bill to amend Magistrate's Ordinance, 1890. doing so the Hon. Member explained that the object of the measure bring together, as far as was convenient an possible, All the ordinary powers which a magi trate has of whipping offenders. Most o the powers which Hon. Members saw referred to in the Bill were to some extent held by magistrates and in addition to the powers given under the Bill they also had extensive powers to whip male offenders under the age of 16 years.

The Bill was taken through its second reading, Committee stage and third read. ng and was passed.

REVENUE OFFICERS AND ARREST.

A Bill entitled An Ordinance to consoldate and amend the law relating to the read a second time, upon the motion of the Hon. Attorney-General, who explained that it was thought desirable to include all the powers possessed by the officers in one As the hon. Member did not wish to

proceed further with the Bill at this meet-The Council then went into committee

upon the jurors list for 1913, presented by the Hon. Colonial Treasurer. His Excellency intimated that the other matters in the "rders of the Day would be

ASSAULTING RICKSHA COOLIES. . Seamen Fined.

At the Magistracy to-day before Mr. Melbourne, T. E. Segmas and John McWalter were charged with assaulting two ricksha coolies and refusing to pay their fores. It was stated that the coolies took the

Police Sergt. Adlington said the coolie morning one of them had to be removed

The first defendant said he was a dismaster had told him he would send him out of the Colony to-day, but it did not look like it now. The first coolie, was ordered a dollar

compensation, and the seame fifteen \$8.15 and the second was fined \$6 and our sened.

The Bithonia the first steamer of the TE your children are applied to ettacks of Hamburs America Lante to be pisced on the group, watch for the first symptom, extended the to Portlady Or and Sen

TRAINING NOTES.

There was not such a large attendance at the Rails this morning as yesterday, probably accounted for by the state of the weather, which was colder and Hongkong Cricket Club "B" League teams damper. A small drizzling rain fell for against Civil Service at Happy Valley on some time between 7 and 8, but stopped later, and, though the sky looked threatening, no heavy rain fell this aftermon up to the time of going to press. The Observatory's forecast reads. " East winds, moderate; cloudy, drizzling rain or mist." The grass course was "dead" -heavy going-and a good deal out up. The sand track, on which Mr. Johnstone galloped all his mounts except the first,

was considerably faster. The Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club have presented the several owners: with race books covered with their individual racing colours. The compliment is much appreciated by the owners. Those other racing enthusiasts who are not owners of race ponies. I am informed may have shoir name done in gold on their race books at the office of the China Mail," for the modest sum of one dollar.

OLD PONIES.

under Mr. Johnstone's guidance went a mile and three-quarters on the grass in good style and finished strong, though the time was not romarkable. Screel accompanied him home from the village did a nice gallop, over a mile and quarter, last half 1.07, last quarter 31.3. Perpetual Motion, Mr. Johnstone up went the Challenge distance on the sand. The time was slow and the performance could not be considered good. Head or Tail went very "short." One mile in 2.23.1, last quarter 33, with an "amah." Sevington was made to go all he could for a mile by Mr. Moller, but could only a corner but Powell cleared the header finish in 32, going strong. Capello's from Clarke and Weeks securing in his mile in 2.17 was done as follows:-87, 33.3, 34.2, 32; a good steady gallop with came finish.

Mahratta Chief went very nicely over mile, and was not ridden out; 35.8, 36, 34, 33-2.18.8. Bruno's mile was done in good time, 36.2, 34.1, 84.1, 32.1 -2.17. He finished tired but game. Alvand, accompanied by Brushwood Boy. was ridden hard over three-quarters by Mr. Dalgarno and finished tired, last quarter 33.1. Dunboyne was taken half a mile by Mr. Brand, first quarter slow, of speed over the second quarter, inside 31, going very strong. Mr. Johnstone rode: Mr. Kadoorie's Borneo Chief and Fijian Chief this morning; taking both on the inside track., The former he took a slow mile, 2.21.1, and finished in 32. Fijian Chief he rode a mile and a half going easily all the way, with a good finish in 31 though he did not appear to be going the pace. Ben Wyvis' formance (Mr. Johnstone up) over mile and a half, 3.36.3, last quarter 83, did not give promise of a Derby winner being found in this pony; while his stable companion Bengairn gave a very poor show, 1.53.2 for three-quarters, with

sunscription GRIFFINS. Very few Subs. were galloped and none did anything remarkable. Ben Trovato went in poor style over a mile, 2.23.2 with poor finish in 33.1. Ambition is going worse nstead of botter. Greylan took 1,50 for three-quarters, last quarter 32. Silverton put up the best performance of the Subs. Ridden by Mr Dalgarno he went a slow mile, but finished very strong; 2.80.8, 31.4.

a very bad finish in 35.2.

SMOKING CONCERT AND DINNER.

The Sergeants' Mess of the R.A.M.C gave a dirmer and smoking concert last helping him considerably. Gibson had night to members of Cruigengower, previously compiled the highest break of Civil Service, Kowloon, Police and other the tournment so far, but his effort of 39 sports clubs of the Colony in return for the hospitality that has been shown. the clubs to visiting teams of the 3.A.M.C., whom they have met sporting fixtures during the season. It Erwood, 32, 15, 13, 13. was to be regretted that there was not a larger attendance of guests, but those who did take the journey up to the evening's onterseinment. A ward, had been specially converted into a theatro. win fairly easily. Gunner Wetherall wil and for the smoking concert that followed play Sergt. Pitt in the last game. the dinner, some splendid talent had been got together. The chair was occupied by Bergs, Major Edser, who was supported Lieut Saunders and Lieut. Montaith and the evening, which was devoted to requires any internal treatment whatever Lasts and barmony was so pleasant, that

#### SPORTING.

Cricket.

The following will represent the Saturday, 22nd Fobruary, Play to commence at 3.15 p.m.:-R. Hancock (Capt.) A. A. Clazton, S. H. Dodwell, E. A. Fowler, H. Hancock, A. O. Lang, M. M. Mass, Lt. Pasks, D. C. L. I., Chief Paymaster Pearson, R. N., G. W. Rogers and R. P. Thursfield.

#### Association Foothell.

D. C. L. I. (LEST HALP). v. HONGKONG

These teams lined up on the Hongkong Club ground yesterday, in the second round of the Hongkong Challenge Shield.

Teams, D. C. L. J. (Loft Half). Powell; Childs, Drew; Whithers, Siddsway, Linton; Weeks, Condon, Bailey, Newhold, Williams. Hongkong Police, Swann or Gardner, Cave; French, Kelly, Drewsy; Mo-Cleman, Reynolds, Clarks, Booker,

Referen .- Mr. Mees, Bailey kicked off for the Cornwalls and for some sime middeld play ensued. dash by the soldiers forwards, left Bailey Mayfair was the first pony out and in possession near goal but Cave kicked the bull off the centre's too. In an attack by the Police, Drew was beauty charged by Reynolds, but resumed although obviously in pain. Booker shot over during a scrimage in the soldiers goal and at the Police end Swann seved from Linton. Cave handbend. Cleric took 2.20 to-day to go a led to stop Bailey going through but mile, but with a very strong finish in nothing resulted, and a tame first half

D. C. L. I. (Left Half) O. Hongkong

Clarks restarted for the Police but the Cornwalls were the first aggressive. | Swant conceded a corner in saving from Newbold and Drew was again injured. Play brightened considerably and Newbold putting Weeks in possession, the winger after a lengthy run, centred, and Condon beat Swann at close quarters, scoring the only goal of the game. The Police forced half outpaced the Police backs but Swann saved and the game ended with the

D. C. L. I. (Left Half). 1, Hongkong

- "ARGUS."

#### Rugby Football.

HONGKONG CLUB. v. H. M. S. MONHOUTH. These teams were engaged in a friendly match on the Hongkong Club ground yesterday and the Club received a check to their winning career. The Club were without three of their regular players and were a man short for the first twenty, minutes, 37.3, and showed an unexpected burst when Mees of the "Tamer" completed their side. The "Moumouth." however, are to be congratulated on their fine performance; they played the forward game to perfection. The first half was nearly all in favour of the sailors, numerous scrume taking, place in the Club 25. From one of these Clements picked up smartly and scored the only try. Farrow's kick at goal was just wide from a rather difficult position. The Sailors led at the interval by a try to nil. In the second moiety, play was more even but the Club with the exception of a penalty kick which was charged down, seldom had a chance of scoring, and the Monmouth emerged worthy winners with the result :- H. M. S. Monmouth. 1 try (3 pt ); Hongkong Club. Nil.

#### Billiards.

Honokong Police and Wardens v. 83ed

Coy R.G.A. This match in the first round of the Soldiers Club Tournament advanced s further stage at the Soldiers Club last night. There was a large attendance when P. C. Hutchings, H.K. Police, and Gunner Jordan, 83rd Coy R.G.A. commenced their game. Play never reached a high standard although Jordan was much too good for his opponent, and in the end he wou easily Breaks-Jordan 15, 11. Hutchings, 15. Final scores, Jordan, 200; Hutchings,

In the second game, Mr Gibson of the Warders, and Sergt. Erwood, 83rd Coy. R.G A. were the contestants and a good game was witnessed. Gibson reached his first hundred with Erwood 82, but the Sergeant overhauled his opponent at 150, a mice break of 32 (marred by one fluke) wood missed an easy white loser and Gibson emerged the winner of a good game. Breaks -- Gibson, 39, 15, 12, 11,

Final scores - Gibson 200 : Erwood 189 The final games will be played this evening in the Soldiers Club. The 83ed Coy R.G.A. hold the comfortable lead of 209, and although they have to autounter Sergt, Pitt of the Police to hight should

RHEUMATISM.

then one case of Theumstiam in the All that is peeded to a free application of Chamberising Pain Balon and make sem bow unickly to will release the to

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

TURCO-BALKANS WAR.

MEDIATION CONTEMPLATED. ROUMANIA AND BULGARIA.

LONDON, Feb. 19. Bouter learns that the Powers are Roumania and Bulgaria, who have were just finishing. The house for states that extracts from Admiral, been fruitlessly discussing various compromises; and the matter has now, been referred back to Bucharest. Roumania has offered to renounce Billstria if she receives a further extension of territory on the Black Sen to Kaliakri, but Bulgaria refuses because forts erected there would command Varna.

"THE SOLE HOPE,"

Hauter's correspondent af Bucharest -telegraphs that according to an official statement the latest concessions by Bulgaria are unsatisfactory. The sole hope of the Powers is to initiate mediation. Despite the public agitation the Roumanian Government is preserving its sang froid conscious of \ its strength, and points out that British diplomacy has played a conside able part in the efforts to effect a penceful solution.

AUSTRIA AND RUSSIA.

It is officially declared in St. Petersburgathat the Tanr's reply to the Austrian Emperor embodies nothing of abruptness or lack of responsiveness attributed to it in certain unofficial circles.

GERMANY AND LIBERIA.

AMICABLE SETTLEMENT.

LONDON, Feb. 19. at Christmastide, and a friendly settle- Captain Scott and his companions. ment has resulted. Germany assured composed of Britons, Germans, and of Britain alone but of the Empire. Liberians will settle the claims of Sir Wilfre Laurier said that the .German traders.

friendly relations with Germany have of old. been restored.

#### UNITED STATES AND ILLITERATES

LONDON, Feb. 19.

The American Senate has again passed, by 72 to 18, the Immigration Bill excluding illiterates despite President Taft's veto.

THE MEXICAN UPBEAVAL.

PRESIDENT MADERO ARRESTED.

NEW PRESIDENT PROCLAIMED.

LONDON, Feb. 19. President Madero has been arrested

in the National Palace by his own tain Scott's widow. Maneral Blanquet, supported by the Thereupon the Federal General

Huerta was proclaimed President after a conference between representatives of General Huerta and General Diaz, crowds of people in the streets hurrahing both Huerta and Diaz.

TERRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE AND PROPERTY.

scaped damage from the prolonged the military proposals which are coinhombardment. Cartloads of corpses have been taken out of the city and burned, and it is estimated in some quarters that no fewer than 2,000 were killed and 10,000 wounded, most of whom were non-combatants.

EX-PRESIDENT MADERO RESIGNS.

A telegram from Mexico City states shat ex-President Madero has signed his resignation.

MINISTER SHOT DEAD.

Senhor Hernandez, when asked in the street to shout "Viva Huerta," cried, Instead, "Viva Madero" and was shot

(Rauter's Service to the China Mail.)

ANOTHER SUFFRAGIST OUTRAGE.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S HOUSE DESTROYED.

LONDON, Feb. 20. A domb exploded in Mr. Lloyd George's country house at Walton Hill, near the golf coarse, which the builders tunitely was empty. It was, however, Von Tirpitz's speech of February shattered, and will require to be rebuilt. have been published." Replying to a The damage at least is estimated at Radical Member, the Admiral ex-£500. Another bomb was discovered plained that he spoke for himself and tins of black powder, ignited by a candle placed in shavings saturated with paraffin. The only clue is the presence of two broken hat pins. There were no footprints on the ground owing to its frozen condition. It is believed that the perpetrators of the outrage motored to the place at daybreak.

MRS. PANKHURST'S ASTOUNDING STATEMENT.

Mrs. Pankhurst declared "We have ments on special questions did not blown up" Mr. Lloyd George's house

A Voice: - Why? Mrs. Pankhurst:-To wake him up! The authorities, she added, need not look for the women who did it, as she, personally, accepted full responsibility.

EAST ANTRIM.

LONDON, Feb. 20. Major McCalmont has been returned unopposed for East Antrim.

THE SOUTH POLE TRAGEDY.

SYMPATHY FROM CANADA.

LONDON, Feb. 19. Reuter's correspondent at Ottawa telegraphs that in the House of Commons Mr. Lemieux moved the adjournment of The Liberian Minister in London the House in order to call attention to visited Berlin regarding the despatch the desirability of showing practical of German warships to Liberian waters sympathy with the dependents of

Mr. Borden said he was convinced the Minister that the ships were merely that Canadians would prove equally "sent as a protest against the treatment appreciative of heroism with their of German subjects. A commission kinsmen oversea. Scott was a ward not

episode showed that the Motherland Telegrams from Liberia say that still produced men equal to the heroes ADMIRALTY AND PROMOTION.

> CONFUSION\_REGARDING FUNDS.

Mr. J. M. Barrie, the well-known author, in a letter to the Press. attributes the apathy of the public towards the Scott Funds to the confusion regarding what is needed, and asks the Government for a definite statement of its intentions. Incidentally, he says, that Lord Curzon was wrong in placing the liabilities of the expedition at £30,000: the correct sum was £12,000.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain in sending a donation of ten guineas to the Mansion House Fund expresses the hope that the monument will be erected in St. Paul's Cathedral, the design and the execution to Le entrusted to Cap-

> THE NEW PRENCH PRESIDENT.

A POPULAR INSTALLATION.

LONDON, Feb. 19. M. Poincaré was on Tuesday install-There was a procession through streets them.

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THE NAVAL QUESTION.

LONDON, Feb. 20. unexploded. Both consisted of 71b, not for the Government. He did not doubt that German'y would willingly consider a reasonable proposal from

Herr Jagow, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said he was not an expert, I regarding the Conversation with Eng- represented the defendants. Addressing, at meeting at Cardiff land it was because definite agreeexist. But he had, however, found a gratifying similarity of views in the course of an exchange of opinions Near East.

> (Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.)

> > THE TOKYO FIRE.

FIFTEEN HUNDRED HOUSES BURNT.

Токуо, Feb. 19. About fifteen-hundred houses were defendants. burnt down by a fire which occurred at Kanda-ku, Tokyo, last evening.

WELCOMING DR. SUN.

Tokyo, Feb. 19.

The Members of both Chambers yesterday attended a meeting arranged by them for the purpose of welcoming Dr. Sun Yat Sen to Japan.

(Reuter's Bervice to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Feb. 20. Another telegram with reference to the Admiralty's action regarding promotion, states that selected warrant and non-commissioned officers and men will hereuster be promoted to commissioned rank Commissions will thus be granted annually.

SALE OF WORK

With the object of assisting the special expenses fund of the Union Church, which at the present time has had a specially heavy call made upon it in connection with the change of pastorate, a successful sale of work organised by the ladies of the congregation was held in the compound of the church yesterday afternoon. For the past twelve months working parties, in which the ladies of Kowloon and Quarry have joined, have been busily engaged, and the result of their energies was seen yesterday in the handsome collection of fancy needlework with which the stals were laden. In addition to assisting materially the funds of the church the parties have served a useful purpose in promoting the social life of the church and its allied organizations, this ed as President of the French Republic. being one of the sims of those who formed.

lined with troops from his house to The sale of work was informally opened the Elysee. The display of popular at three o'clock, and a large business was enthusiasm was remarkable, arising soon in progress. The visitors during the Scarcely a building in the city has from the patriotic sent ment evoked by afternoon included Lady May and a party cident with M. Poincare's assumption made various purchases.

Arranged by Mr G. P. Lammert and Mrs Stubbings an enjoyable concert was given in the evening in the school hall, A splendid programme was contributed by Mrs. Lamb, Mr. Cawsey, Mr. J. White, Mrs. H. E. Goldsmith, Miss White, Mr. Sutor and Mr. R. E. White, who all

contributed songs. A humorous operetts, "The Penny Show" was given in the alternoon by a number of children from Quarry Bay in whose training Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Wier and Mr. Dickson had taken a great deal of paius. This will be repeated on 561,356 telephone stations, and the total Friday evening to the Sunday School

The ladies assisting at the stalls were :---Hainan enamel and coccanut ware Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Lan Cheung and Dr. Telephone Co. Sibres; fancy work, Mrs. Hickling, Mrs. A. Bryson and Mrs. Stevenson; fancy work, Mrs. Braidwood, Mrs. Russell, and | £12,000,000.

Mrs. Temploton ; drawn thread work, Mrs. Stubbings, Mrs. Lyon, Mrs. I rummond ; plain work, Mrs. Macdonald, Mrs. Donald and Mrs. J. Henderson; ten stall, Mrs. John Rodger, Mrs. Walker, assisted by Misses Rodger, Miss Macdonald and Miss Noave. A bran tub was in charge of Blias

assisted in the parcels department. Dr.

The Import of Oplum.

PARSI LAW CASE.

Pearce, and Mesars Green and Harris

Alico Sibree acted as secretary and Mrs.

James Macdonald as treasurer.

The case was continued in the Supreme Court this morning in which Burjorji Musserwanji Talati is moving the Court for the cancellation and delivery up to plaintiff of an agreement dated July 22, 1911, made between plaintiff on the first part, the defendant Merwenji Polonji Talati, on the second part, and Ellis; Kudoorie and Iver Gourgey on the third

Mr. Eldon Potter, with him Mr. F. C. Jenkin, instructed by Mr. G. K. Hall but his department would have Brutton, of Mosers. Brutton and Hett, nothing to say against a ratio of six- represented the plaintiff, and Mr. Sharpe, teen to ten in regard to the fleets of K.C., with whom was Mr. M. W. Slade, England and Germany. He pointed by Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, of Messers. out that if he said nothing positive Deacon, Looker, Deacon and Harston,

Mr. Potter concluded his opening address this morning. There was a question, he said, whether the defendant knew prior to the signing of the agreement that there was a prohibition in force China against Persian opium. He did not intend to go into the matter now concerning acute questions in the but defendant must have known. If the contract, could not in his Lordship's opinion be reseinded the plaintiff was entitled to damages, and certainly heavy damages, for breach of contract.

It was mentioned that there was some difficulty with regard to an interpreter as the Court interpreter of Indian dialeets did not speak plaintiff's dialect and plaintiff did not speak " Hindustani. Several names were mentioned, but all were objected to by one or other of the . parties. Eventually one of plaintiff's friends was accepted, his evidence being cheeked by an interpreter appointed by

Plaintiff said the tirm of P. F. Talati commenced business twenty to twenty. five years ago and one of the partners was defendant's father. Defendant succeeded him on his death. Plaintiff had claim against the firm and got judgment against the then partners in the High Court of Bombay for Rs. 322,869. Defendant was one of the partners. This judgment was not satisfied. In 1911, hearing that defendant had some dealings in Hongkong, he sent his power of attorney to Mr. Apene and in April and action was brought in the Hongkong Court on the Bombay judgment. Subsequently plaintiff came to Hongkong and saw defendant relative to the proceedings, which defendant wished to settle. Defendant, said he had no cash at that time but he offered in settlement 140 permits. to import Persian opium into China, and \$12,000 cash. Defendant gave plaintiff to understand that the permits were in his brother's name, and that he himself was proprietor of the firm, the name of which was F. P. Talati. - Defendant said the permits were issued by the Chinese Government and were valid in the years 1911 to 1918. The \$12,000 was to be paid in lieu of permits for the remainder

of 1911. Defendant said the issue of the pormits would be continued until the end of 1916, and plaintiff would be able to make about \$150,000. An agreement was \ drawn up, plaintiff relying upon what ) the defendant had told him regarding the permits. Defendant said that if the permits were withdrawn before the agreement plaintiff was not to be responsible. He would not have entered into the agreement if he had known that the right to permits had been withdrawn as from January 1912. After the signing of the agreement defendant told plaintiff that as the permits were arranged between the Chinese and British Government he had no need to be nervous. He was

never told by defendant that the right to the permits had been cancelled. Cross-examined by Mr. Sharpe, plaintiff said Mr. Apear who conducted the negotiations with defendant was to receive 35

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per cent. of the money recovered.

RECORD IN LITIGATION.

Judgment was given on January 12 in one of the most prolonged and coatly arbitrations on record, the number of days occupied by the hearing being seventytwo, and the costs being estimated some. where between £300,000 and £400,000. Moreover, the claim and the award figured out in millions sterling.

The arbitration arose out of an agreement made in August, 1805, by which the system of the National Telephone Company. who were the pioneers of the telephone sorvice at home, was to be trans. ferred to the Postmaster-General on the amount claimed was £20,924,700. The valuation of the plant placed by the respective parties was, in round figures, as

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raising expital for construction. The unique character of the inquiry is shown by the appended details: Cost of the National Telephone Company's inventory .....£250,000 Counsel's fees......£71,000 Shorthand writers fees and print-

ing of evidence and counsel's. Number of questions to witnesses Number of printed pages ......

Counsel included seven K.C.'s and four junior members of the Bu. and the leader for the company, Sir Alfred Cripps, had his brief marked for £1,500, with Sir Alfred Cripps, K.C., occupied four-

teen days with his opening and closing speeches for the Telaphone Co., and the Solicitor-General, for the Postmaster-General, took firteen days. One witness was thirteen days under examination, another nine days, and a third made four trips across the Atlantic in connexion with the case.

PROMOTION OF ROYAL ARTIL-LERY SUBALTERNS.

The War Office has at last issued some definite instructions regarding promotion expiration of the company's licence on of subalterns of the Royal Artillery. In December 31, 1911. The transfer involved future, in the absence of vacancies for Captain, they are to be promoted to that rank on completing 13 years service. This will ensure promotion this year for Lieutenants, C. A. N. Hume-Spry, W. F. Chris. tian, D. Pudsoy, E. D. Hatthews, T. Cunningham, W. D. Lindsey, H. P. Garwood, L. R. E. W. Taylor, and F. S. Morgan, who are all serving in Hongkong

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STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The N. B. B. z.z. Princ Sigismund left Yokohama on Thursday, the 13th February, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 20th Feb. The Mr. M. Cofe Mr. Neru! with the here en Monday afternoon, the 24th he 21st inst.

Fobruary. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Manchuria avrived at Manila on Wednesday, the 19th February, between 8 and 10 s.m., and is expected to leave that port for Hongkong on Friday, the 21st STRAITS. Fobruary, boween 2 and 4 p.m.

The P. M. S. A. Co.'s s.s. Nile with the American Mail, left San Francisco for this port via Ronolula, the usual Japan Ports and Manils on Saturday,

The P. M. S. Co.'s s.s. Mongolia with the American Mail, left Sang Francisco for this Port, via Honolulu, usual Japan Ports and Manila on Saturday, the 15th February. The C. P. R. Co.'s Z.M.S. Empress of

Jopan left Yokohama at 2 p.m. on the 16th February, due to arrive at Vaucouver, B.O., on the 28th Feb.

Other Vessels. The T.E. S. Waishing is due to arrive here from Saigon on

the 21st February. The P. & O. S. W. Co.'s s.s. Nankin left Eingapore for this port on the 16th February, at 6.30 a.m., and is due

here on the 21st February, at about PHILLIPPINE ISLAND.

That C. S. N. Co., Ltd. s.s. Hangsang is due to crive here from changhai on the 20th February.

"Mal. C. S. N. Co., Lad.'s s.s. Mausang is due to arrive here from Sandakan on the 21st February. ... The L. O. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.z. Kutsang is due to arrive here from Singapore

on the 22nd February. The B. L. S. N. Go. a s.s. Japan from Shanghal and Kobe, left Moji on the 19th February, a.m., and is expected! here on or about the 23rd Feb., a.m. | SWATOW. 1. C. S. N. Co., Ltl.'s s.s. Sulsang left Calculta for Hongkong on the 9th

Bebruary. The American & Oriental Line s.s. Weish Prince from New York, left Sabang on the 164 February, and is expected SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA here about the 20th February. TO B. W. Co. Led. a R. B. Kummang is de a to arrive hard from Calcutta fon

the let March.

The N. D. L. ss. Prinz Waldemar left Sydney on Saturday, the 8th Feb., at 11 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 3rd March. The Shire Line Ltd.'s s.s. Den of Glamis from London, Passed Canal for Hongon the 8th February, due Hongkong | Ladies' Nomination). the 10th March.

The T. K. S.s. Buyo Maru left Callao for Salina Cruz on the 14th January. and is expected to arrive in Hongkong on the 20th March.

The E. & A. steamer St. Albans left Sydney on the 12th February for Manila and this port (via Queensland Ports and Port Darwin). "

Latest Advices. The Glen Line s.s. Glenlochy passed the

Hongkong via Straits. The N. D. L. s.s. Prinz Ludwig which left here on Wednesday, the 22nd Jan., at 10 a.m., arrived at Genoa on Tues-

day, the 18th February, at 7 a.m.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. The s.s. Achilles with the London Mail (via Siberia) of Wednesday the 29th French Mail, is expected to arrive Jan., is expected to arrive here on Friday,

Mails will close for :--SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per Haitan, at 9 a.m., on Friday, the

21st Feb. Per Achilles, at 11 a.m., on Friday, the

21st Feb. Per Sui Tai. at 1.15 p.m., on Friday,

the 21st Feb. SAIGON. Per Paklat, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, YAP, MARONN, SAMARAI, FRIEDERICH WILHELMSHAFEN, RABAUL HERBERTSHOHE, MATUPI AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA & NEW ZEALAND VIA BRISBANE. Per Prinz Sigismund, at 8 s.m., on Satura

day, the 22nd Feb. STRAITS & INDIA" Via BUMBAY. Per Ischia, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the

22nd Feb. .. FORMOSA VIA TAKAO, SHANGHAL TIENTSIN & DAIREN. Per Taito Maru, at 11 a.m., on Saturir day, the 22nd Feb.

Per Yuensang, at I p.m., on Saturday, the 22nd Feb. SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA.

(Europe via Siberia.) Per Chenan, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 22nd Feb. TSING PAU & WEIHAIWEL.

Per Cheongshing, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 22nd Feb. Per Chowfai, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the SHANGHAL NAGASAKL, KOBE

Par Haimun, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 23rd Feb. February, due Hongkong on the 25th SWATOW; AMOY & FORMOSA Via Captain C. Mus pr. with lower for the Per Dairi Maru, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 21st mate, at 6 mm

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Europe via Siberia.

General Assets. Per Neral, ut 5 p.m., on Monday, the Hongkong, February 20, 1913.

To-day's Advertisements | To-day's Advertisements

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. RACE MEETING, 1913.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday (off-day). 24th, 25th, 26th February and 1st March.

TUCKETS of ADMISSION to the GRAND STAND and ENCLO-SURE may be obtained from Mesers KELLY & WALSH, LD., or at the Gate. Price \$7 for the Meeting (excluding the Off-Day), or \$3 per day.

Tickets for the Off-Day, \$2. No one admitted without a Ticket, to be shown to the Ticket Inspector at the Gate.

T. F. HOUGH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, February 20, 1913.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE STEWARDS request pleasure of the presence of the LADIES at the GRAND STAND and the ENCLOSURE during the

A Stand and Enclosure will be reserved for Members and Members' Wives and Families, Tickets for which will be sent out with the Members Tickets.

All Tickets must be produced to gain | cover). Special accommodation will be reserved as in recent years for Chinese Ladies and their Female attendants in the Stand erected on the plot of Ground

next to the Lusitano Club Stand. T. F. HOUGH Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, February 20, 1913.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

DASSES for Servants will be issued on application to the Undersigned on SATURDAY, 22nd inst.

No Servants will be allowed inside the ENCLOSURE of the Race Course during the Race Days WITHOUT TICKETS which can be had on application to the Undersigned. These Tickets are only available for servants while in attendance on their employers or when on duty at the various Stands. Any Chinese found loitering about with Servants' passes in their possession, will forfeit them and the holders thereof will be removed from the Enclosure.

T. F. HOUGH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, February 20, 1913.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Race to be run on the OFF DAY, SATURDAY, the 1st MARCH, 1913. THE ADMIRAL'S PRIZE.

DRESENTED by His Excellency Vice Admiral Sir Alfred L.

A Handicap for all China Ponies that may be started at this Meeting. Second to receive 50 per cent, and third 40 per cent. of the Entrance Fees. Entrance \$5. One mile and a quarter. The Donor of the Cup has also kind-

ly presented a prize for the Lady Nominating the Winner, no Lady to nominate more than one Pony.

A List of Weights to be carried will be posted at the Grand Stand and Suez Canal on 18th February for published in the Press on the morning of the Race.

Entries will Close to the Clerk of the Course on THURSDAY, the 27th February, 1913.

Entry Forms will be obtainable on application at the Weighing Room under the Grand Stand at any time during the Three Race Days. By Order,

T. F. HOUGH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, February 20, 1913.

PUBLIC AUOTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc tions to Sell by Public Auction,

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNID).

SATURDAY, the 22nd February, 1913, at 2.30 P.M., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8,

Des Voeux Road, Corner of Ice House Street,-40,000 CIGARS, 20,000 VIRGINIAN CIGARETTES. (in perfect condition and in small lots to suit all buyers).

Cigarette Holders and Cases, Pipes, etc., Stop Watches, Binoculars and Race Glasses. A number of 300 Candle Power Lamps (new), etc., etc.;

And 2 Carrying Chairs (Lady's). TERMS :- As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH, : Auctioneers. Hongkong, February 20, 1913.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE NORDDEUT- HER LLOYD, BREMEN.

STEAM FOR YOROHAMA.

THE Steamship

PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH above places 10-MUKBUW (FRIDAY). For further particulars, apply to NORDDEUISCHER LLOYD. General Agente.

RACE. HOLIDAYS.

THE EXCHANGE BANKS will be OLOSED for the transaction of Exchange Business on MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, the 24th, 25th and 26th instant, at 11 45 A.M. Hongkong, February 20, 1913.

HONGRONG ICE COMPANY, LTD.

THE THIRTY-SECOND ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE HOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the General Managers at 11.45 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, 5th March, to receive Statement of the Company's Accounts to 31st December, 1912, and the pont of the General Managers.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th inst. to the 5th prox., both dates inclusive, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LTD., General Managers. Hongkong, Rebruars 20, 1913. . 956

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THE CHINA MAIL JOBBING DEPARTMENT

NDERTAKES to print OWNER'S NAME and DATE (1913) in gold letters on Race Books (cloth or leather

PRICE, ONE DOLLAR.

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PUBLIO, AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

THURSDAY, the 27th February, 1913, commencing at 2.30 P.M., at No. 12, HUMPEREYS

AVENUE, Kowloon,-A QUANTITY OF C. Mundl. Hamburg Jan. 9, and Singapore VALUABLE HOUSEBOLD

FURNITURE. On View from Wednesday, the 26th Feb. Catalogues will be issued. TERMS :- Cash on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMMERT, Hongkong, February 20, 1913.

SOCIETA NAZIONALE DI SERVIZI MARITTIMI. STEAM FOR BOMBAY.

VIA SINGAPORE AND PENANG. (Taking Cargo at through rates to Pozz SAID, MESSIMA, NAPLES, GENOA and

LEGHORY, also -VENICE and TRIEFTE, all Mediterranean, Adriatio, Bar-CELONA, VALENZA, ALICANTE, ALMERIA and MALAGA, LEVANTINE and South AMERICAN PORTS UDITO CALLAO).

THE Steamship C ptain BELESTO, will be despatched as

Winsloe, K.C.B., C.V.O., C.M.G. above on SATURDAY, the 22nd inst., at Noon. For further particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to

CARLOWITZ & Co., Hongkong, February 21, 1913.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE NURDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

BREMEN. ROTICE TO COASIGNEES.

THE Steamship PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH. having arrived, Consigness of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Tressure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazar dous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kow loca Wharf and Godown Company, Limited,

Kowloon and West Point Godowns, whence dulivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless intimation is received from the Consignees before mon to-day requesting it to

be landed here. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 27th of February will be subject to rent. All broken, chaled and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they

will be examined on the 27th of February. at 9.80 s.m. All claims must reach us before the 6th of March, 1913, or they will not recegnized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYI, MELOHERS & OU. General Agents.

Hongkong, February 20, 1913.

PASSENGERS EXPECTED. Per P. & O. s.s. Nankin. Due Hongkong Feb. 21. From London Jan. 11, Mr and child. J. Barrington, Mr. D. Murray, Lt. R. Gasgoine. Fitz Rey, Miss M. Courtice.

Hongkong, &c., Mrs Sacahe, Mr W. M. Beilby, Mr B. H. Virgoe, Mr K. Sparrow 249 Stratton, Mrs Stratton, Master W. G. for Port Swettenham, Mr A. Allan; for Stratton, Miss G. R. Stratton, Miss Fil. Marseilles, Mr H. M. Fielding; for Lonkins, Mr D. R. Stewart, Mr and Mrs T. don. Mr and Mrs T. O'Sullivan, Dr and Arthur, Mrs L. Hutchinson and 2 child- Mrs Duncan Whyte, Capt. and Mrs Brown ren. Mrs G. H. Wright and 9 children, Mr 2 Misses Brown, Mr and Mrs W. E. Head, Macleod, Mr A S. Guttridge, Miss Hum- Mr G. P. Datems, Mrs J. Martin, Mr W. phries, Mr G. Wombwell. Sir Conyugham F. McIntosh, Mr B. Taylor, Capt. Galt, and Lady Grooms, Mrs M; and Miss A. Mr. G. H. Bartlett. Moore, Mrs Steward, Mr E. Steward, Dr Per Haiching, for Swatow, Mr and Mrs T. Anderson, Mr and Mrs. Tokugawa, Mr Franklin; for Poochow, Miss A. M. Hard. E. Maroussen, Mr and Mrs R. T. Oraw- Per Haimun, for Swatow, Mr and Mrs L. F. Taylor, Miss G. C. Denuy, Com- Wood. mander H. Tokiw, S aff Surgeon Saito. Mr C Okumurs, Mr Y. Kobayashi, Mr T.

Due Hongkong Teh. 28 - From London The British steamer Guthere reports Jan. 24, Mr. W. Wakefield, Mile Hayburst, Experienced bed weather through Torres

Kuroda, Dr J. R. Taylor, Mr Cuetia, Miss

# RASH ON FACE HANDS AND BODY

Red-Patches with White, Dry Scab. Like Dandruff on Head. Very Itchy. After Using Cuticura Remedies for One Week Was Entirely Cured.

"I suffered very much from ecsema for eight or nine months. A fine rash appeared on my face, hands, scalp and on my body. Il formed red patches with a white, dry scab. It was like dandruff on the head, very lichy at times. I tried several kinds of medicines and oinsments, and also got some doctor's medicine, but none of them did me any good, and I got no relief. I saw the advertisement of the Cuticura Soap and Ointment in the paper, so sent for 4s. 6d. worth of Cuticura Remedies. After using the Cuticura Scap, Cuticurs Ointment and Cuticurs Pills for one week, I was entirely cured, and have had no trouble since." (Signed) Edmond Pitspatrick White, Newcastle, Clanmol, Co. Cipperary, Iroland, July 11, 1911.

CURED BABY IN A WEEK "My baby's head was nothing but a massof scab all over, and it worried me to look at it. I got a little Cuticura Cintment and found it was doing good so I bought two more boxes and it healed. After using the Cuticura Ointment a few days the scan came

right off, leaving his head quite baid. Now he has a head as clean and smooth as if he had never had any bad head at all, and the hair is quite thick and lovely and light. He and the Cuticura Remedica cured my baby trouble to use the Cuticura Scap and Oint-ment." (Signed) Mrs. L. Half, Whiting Yard, Bedminster, Bristol, Eng., Jan. 20, 1911. Samples with 32-p. book free from nearest depot: F. Newbery & Sons, 27, Charterhouse Sq., Lendon: R. Towns & Co., Sydney, N.S.W.; -Lennon, Ltd., Cape Town: Muller, Maclean & Co., Calcutta and Bombay: Potter Drug &

### SHIPPING

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ARRIVALS.

February 19. Shansi, British str., 1,232, E. B. Simons, Port Courbet Feb. 16, Coal. - BUTTER-

FIELD & SWIRE. February 20. Monteagle, British steamer, 3,952, F. I. Davison, Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 27, and Shaughai Feb. 17, Mails, Flour and General.-C. P. R. Co. Prinz Eitel Friedrich, German str., 8,797,

Feb. 15, Mails and General. - MELCHERS Chenan. British steamer, 1,355, Owen, Shanghai Feb. 16, General. BUTTERFIELD Hanoi, French str., 739, A. Marquerite,

Haiphong and Pakhoi Feb. 18, General.—

247 A. R. MARTY. Tmru Maru, Japanese str., 2,065, D. Nakao, Miike Feb. 14. Coal.-M. B. K. Fushiki Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,140, Tanaka, Forchow Feb. 17.-M. B. K. Frithjof, Norwegian steamer, 891, Olaf Andersen, Bangkok February 13, Rice .-

AAGAARD, THEORSEN & Co. Guthrie, British str., 2,808, Gambrill, Sydney Jan. 14, via Brisbane, Townsville, Thursday Island and Manila Feb. 17, General.—Gibb. Livingston & Co. Chipmen, Chinese str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES.

February 19. Shansi, for Canton. Machaen, for Singapore and London. Tingsang, for Cauton. Marie, for Canton. Indrawadi, for Singapore and New York.

Cheungshing, for Canton. Shaw Hsing, for Shanghai. Colombo Maru, for Shanghai & Yokohama. Devawonane, for Saigou. Chicago Maru, for Victoria and Tacoma. Arratoon Apear, for Singapore & Calcutta Anhui, for Shanghai.

Chenan, for Canton. CLEARED. Dainichi Mafu, for Milke. Choysang, for Shanghai. Huichow, for Tientsin. Torillo; for Kobe and Yokohama.

Glenlee, for Saigon. Riojun Maru, for Kobe. PASSENGERS.

Per Monteagle, for Hongkong : from Vancouver, Mr A. T. Owen, Miss J. Dean, Mr E. H. Scott, Mrs G. S. Scott, Dr C. Dale, Mr C. W. Strong, Mr R. W. Strong, Mrs J. J. Peterson, Mr E. E. Grieve, Mrs R. Dancanson; from Moji, Mr A. Papadopoulos; from Shanghai, Mr T. W. Smith. Per Prinz Eitel Friedrich, from Hamburg, &c. : for Hongkong, Mr E. Laner, Mr O. Rauff, Mr and Mrs Müller. Mr and Mrs Lamperski and children, Mr F. Rohleder, Mr and Mrs A. Becklinger and child ren, Mr R. Leydler, Mrs E. Barkhausen. Mr and Mrs Lawrence, Mrs H. Husted Dr H. K. Fung, Mr B. Marcian, Mr W k. Maodonald, Mr and Mrs A. Scefrid. Miss Sarah A. Bussing, Mrs Martha Norris, Miss Heyne, Miss Clara Dean, Mr Geo. Riegel, Mr J. R. De Witt, Director and Mrs Callsen, Mr S. Lowrie, Mr Young, Mr G. Wordmann, Mr Hills, Mr N. Banders, Mr G. H. Corne, Mr H. Law, Dr Brill, Dr Muller, M. Michoel, Rov. and Mrs W. Clayson, Mr Weinstein, Mr J Ziegler, Mr Franz Scholz, Mr W. Kuhn, Mr Scabe, Mr A. L. Tenning, Mr M. Naumann, Mr H. Schubart, Mr W. Boyer, Mr W. Wienmann, Mr Joh. Minz, Mr Behr, Mr H. Maetechappij tot Mijn, Bosch-Inhelder, Mr de Violini, Mr and Mrs Otto, Mr Kappler, Miss Gertrud, Miss M. Kappler, Miss Tobler, Miss Bonth, Mrs China Provident Loan Moti-Mears, Mrs C. A. Loyer, Mrs W. H. Ross. Per Chenan, from Shanghai, Mrs Lloyd China Borneo Company, Maritad

Per Guthrie, from Sydney, &c., Mrs Per Kilano Maru, from London : for Por Sardinia, for Singapore, Mr P.

ford, Mise A. H. Dyer, Mr.M. Honda, Mr E. Trebolet, Messrs Ashmead, Hall and SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Chenan reports Thick locks weather from Pedrana to Per P. & O. steamer Moldana, connect. Houghong light winds and amouth sea Chinese Importal 1886 174, 767,200 Tie. 2507 % plannum Par.

## WEATHER REPORT.

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Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at moon

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